

In the
Indiana Supreme Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE)
)
) **Case No. 88S00- -MS-**
 APPROVAL OF LOCAL RULES)
)
 FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY)

**ORDER APPROVING AMENDED LOCAL RULE ADOPTED PURSUANT
TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULE 15**

The Hon. Robert L. Bennett, Judge of the Washington Circuit Court and the Hon. Frank Newkirk, Jr., Judge of the Washington Superior Court, have forwarded for approval by this Court an amendment to the local rule governing the regulation of court reporter services in accordance with Ind.Administrative Rule 15. Such amendment for Washington County is set forth as an attachment to this order.

Upon examination of the proposed rule amendment requested by the Washington Circuit and Superior Courts, this Court finds that the proposed rule amendment to Local Rule 7 complies with the requirements of Ind.Administrative Rule 15 and, accordingly, should be approved effective thirty (30) days after the rule has been posted in the county clerk's office(s) and on the county clerk's website, if any, and on the Indiana Judicial Website.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by this Court that Washington County Local Rule 7, set forth as an attachment to this Order, is approved effective thirty (30) days after the rule has been posted in the county clerk's office(s) and on the county clerk's website, if any, and on the Indiana Judicial Website.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a copy of this Order to the Hon. Robert L. Bennett, Washington Circuit Court, 99 Public Square, #200, Salem, IN 47167-2098; and the Hon. Frank Newkirk, Jr., Washington Superior Court, 801 Jackson Street, Salem, IN 47167-1218; and to the Clerk of the Washington Circuit Court.

The Clerk of the Washington Circuit Court is directed to enter this Order and attachment in

the Record of Judgments and Orders for the Court, to post this Order and attachment for examination by the Bar and the general public, and if available, to publish this Order and attachment on the county clerk's website.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this _____ day of December, 2005.

FOR THE COURT

Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana